# Acknowledgement

Salem Memorial VFW Post 2774

Memorial Monument Flowers from Burnett's Country Gardens

Salem Volunteer Fire Department

Gardner Lake Volunteer Fire Department

All Salem Fire Fighters & Emergency Technicians – Volunteers, Part Time, Full

Time Salem Emergency Services

Salem Emergency Management

Salem Town Hall Staff

Salem Historical Society

East Lyme High School Band

Salem School and Band

Salem Public Works Department

Salem Resident Troopers Office

Salem Lions Club

Congregational Church of Salem

Salem Recreation Commission

Salem Seniors

#### Salem Memorial Day Parade Committee

Ed Chmielewski - Salem First Selectman, Past Grand Marshal

Gene Maiorano, Parade Office in Charge (OIC)

Mike Bednarz, Salem Emergency Management Director

Steve Buck, Commander, Salem VFW, Past Grand Marshal

Pastor Jonathan Chechile, Congregational Church of Salem CT

CT State Police Salem Resident Troopers Ben Duffy and Kevin Crosby

Ron LaBonte, Selectman, Past Grand Marshal

Richard Leuck, Past Commander, Salem VFW, Past Grand Marshal

Agnes T. Miyuki, Salem Town Hall

Pam Munro, Selectwoman

Vivian Waters, Salem Lions

Alesha Brothers, Executive Assistant to First Selectman





# SALEM MEMORIAL DAY PARADE & CEREMONY

MONDAY, MAY 29 \*10:00 a.m.



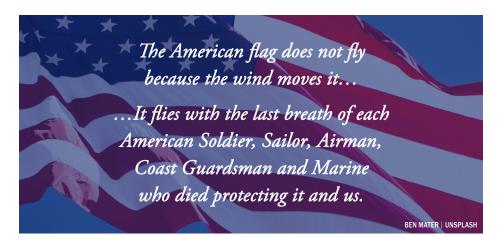
Grand Marshals

Erik Trotter

Eva Agathos

Keynote Speaker

Selectwoman Pam Munro



### **AGENI**DA

9:15a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Parade Participants muster at 9:15 a.m.

Be in line no later than 9:30am.

All Salem residents and groups are welcome.

Floats, antique cars, decorated bicycles, baby carriages, walkers, individuals, families, and groups. Show your Patriotic Spirit!

Hagen Road Vehicles, Floats

Morgan Road

Walkers, adults, children, parents, youth & sports teams, bicycles

10:00 a.m.

Parade Starts. Ends at the Salem Town Green.

Memorial Service

Town Green within 5 minutes of Parade completion

Salem residents with honorable military service are encouraged to wear their uniform or medals / awards on civilian attire

Please share your photos, send to First Selectman Ed Chmielewski at: Ed.Chmielewski@SalemCT.gov

#### MEMORIAL SERVICE

#### Commencement

## Tolling of the Bell

The tolling of the Bell will start the Memorial Service. Your silence during this tribute is appreciated while we honor our citizen soldiers who made the ultimate sacrifice and gave of their lives in service to our United States of America

Raising of Colors Salem Lions

National Anthem Salem School Band

Pledge of Allegiance Salem First Selectman Ed Chmielewski,

Welcome Major, U.S. Army (*Ret.*)

Opening Prayer Pastor Jonathan Chechile,

Congregational Church of Salem

Introduction of Salem First Selectman Ed Chmielewski,

the Grand Marshals Major, U.S. Army (Ret.)

Grand Marshal Erik Trotter

Grand Marshal Eva Agathos

Keynote Speaker Pamela Munro, Selectwoman

Daughters of the American Revolution

Historical Society, Secretary

Memorial First Selectman Ed Chmielewski

State Representative Holly Cheeseman

Honor Guard: Commander Steve Buck, Salem VFW

Taps and Salute Salem School Band

Closing Prayer Pastor Jonathan Chechile,

Congregational Church of Salem

Closing Remarks First Selectman Ed Chmielewski

Tolling of the Bell

The Memorial Service will conclude with the tolling of the bell